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Meeting Place Is Discussed

Both Belligerents Express Willingness to Negotiate Terms of Peace.

Plenipotentiaries and Time and Place Will Soon Be Settled.

Japan's Reply Was Prompt and More Definite Than Russia's.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Official assurance that the President's efforts in the effort to bring Russia and Japan together to discuss peace will be crowned with success was brought to the White House today by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, who called by appointment, and in the name of Emperor Nicholas, accepted the President's offer of good-will.

The following official statement regarding the conference was issued at the White House: "Ambassador Cassini has called to express the Russian government's assent to the President's proposition and to state that they would appoint plenipotentiaries to meet the plenipotentiaries of Japan to discuss the question of peace. The place of meeting is at present being discussed."

During the past two weeks the President's efforts have been directed towards bringing the belligerents into amicable contact on the basis of a mutual agreement to consider terms of peace. This he accomplished finally today. It remains now for the belligerent powers to name their plenipotentiaries and agree on a time and place for the meeting to discuss terms and negotiate a treaty of peace. These details are now under consideration with a bright prospect that such minor differences as may exist will be removed within a few days.

Conferences of supreme importance were held today in Washington. The blue room of the White House was the scene, and President Roosevelt, Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister, were the principal conferees. President Roosevelt now has unequivocal assurances from both Russia and Japan of the acceptance of his proposition that they enter on

Negotiations for Peace.

The President likewise is assured of the absolute sincerity of both governments in according to his suggestion. Japan was the first of the two powers to indicate its acceptance of President Roosevelt's proposition. The formal response to his identical note of Thursday last was received from the Japanese government Saturday. In formal assurances of acceptance of the President's suggestion were received from the Russian government a little later; but the assurances from St. Petersburg were not of the definite character which had been received from Tokyo. Early today United States Ambassador Meyer at St. Petersburg informed the American government that Russia had accepted the President's proposition and would make representatives with plenipotentiaries to his plenipotentiaries of Japan. While satisfactory, the response was not in the same definite form as that of Japan. It had been the expectation of the President to publish to the world the replies of the two governments to his identical note, but under the circumstances this could not be done.

Count Cassini's Message.

A few hours subsequent to the receipt of Ambassador Meyer's cablegram, Count Cassini made an appointment to the President Roosevelt at 11 o'clock today. The President received him in the blue room of the White House. The ambassador, in the conference which followed, presented verbally Russia's acceptance of the President's proposition for a conference to discuss peace terms. He had been instructed by the St. Petersburg government to convey to the President the willingness of Emperor Nicholas to appoint the plenipotentiaries to meet representatives of the Emperor of Japan to negotiate a treaty of peace. While the response of the Russian government was not reduced to writing, it was regarded for the time as sufficient for the negotiations.

Shortly after the official statement quoted was made public. In addition to indicating the acceptance by the Russian government of President Roosevelt's proposition, Count Cassini informed the President of Russia's desire as to the place of meeting of the plenipotentiaries, and named those who would probably be delegated to represent the Russian Emperor. At the conclusion of the conference, Count Cassini declined to discuss for publication the details of the interview with the President.

Minister Takahira had a conference with President Roosevelt at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The interview lasted thirty-five minutes, and, like that of Count Cassini, was held in the blue room of the White House. After the conference, Minister Takahira walked to the executive offices and held a brief talk with Secretary Lock. The President's aide noted, saying that such information should come from only the President.

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Situation Was so Delicate

that he did not feel free to talk about it. He expressed the opinion that the situation would be resolved satisfactorily in due time, but declined to state in a general way the contents of the Japanese response to the President's identical note, saying that such information should come from only the President.

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Astounding Tales of the Russian Admiral's Incapacity

Survivors of Rojestvensky's Ill-fated Fleet Relate Incredible Stories of Incompetency and Lack of Forethought on the Part of Commander-in-Chief—Thousands of Unknown and Unhonored Heroes.

VLADIVOSTOK, June 12.—A series of interviews with the corresponding members of the Associated Press has had with naval officers who survived the battle of the Sea of Japan has developed a most sensational story of the Russian disaster. First of all was the complete demoralization which followed the sinking of the flagship Kalaz Souvaroff and the wounding of Admiral Rojestvensky, which is explained by the fact that not a single officer of the fleet knew the command in chief's plans. The admiral's divisions knew no more than the sub-lieutenants, and had to rely on the signals of the flagship.

Admiral Nebogatoff, on whom the command devolved, had seen Rojestvensky only once after the junction of their squadrons, and then only for fifteen minutes. All the stories of the target practice at Madagascar, it seems, were false. During the entire voyage there was practically no training in gunnery, and the main, and the big gun practice was confined to three shots per vessel.

Ugly stories are told of the happenings at Madagascar. Some of the crews certainly were untrained in gunnery, and, exhausted by the eight months' voyage under trying moral and physical conditions, were no match for the valiant Japanese, whose marksmanship was wonderful. They concentrated their fire on one ship until she was placed out of action, and then on another; thus successfully sinking the Oslabya, Alexander III, and Kiaz Souvaroff.

Some ships developed deplorable structural defects. The Oslabya sank without having a single hole below the water line. Heavy seas entered the vessel above the water line and the water tight compartments, which were changed several times during the voyage, did not stand the strain they had been calculated to stand and burst, and, flooding the hull, the vessel turned turtle.

The lack of homogeneity among the ships made it impossible to manoeuvre in harmony. The Vladimir, Monomach, Admiral Oushakoff and Admiral Senavin had to lag behind on this account, becoming easy victims.

Finally the ammunition was exhausted after the first day's fighting. Even the morning of the battle, while the buzzing of the wireless instruments on the Russian ships showed that the Japanese scouts were com-

municating his dispositions to Admiral Togo, Admiral Rojestvensky continued his senseless manoeuvring, and when the Japanese actually appeared the Russians were caught in an impossible formation and were attacked on three fronts.

Rojestvensky's position was cramped and his transports were badly placed and caused confusion while the Japanese were raining projectiles even from machine guns on the Russian ships. The latter were huddled together, blanketing each other's fire. Only the leaders of the columns could bring their guns to bear, and even those the untrained gunners fired wildly. To render matters worse, the mines and floating torpedoes sown in the paths of the Russian division added to the confusion. The Borodino, Admiral Nakhimoff and Navarin fell victims to these obstructions. It is a heart-rending narrative, and Russia and the world should realize that the sailors and officers were not altogether to blame. The main fault lies elsewhere. There were many heroes among the Russians. Captain Berkli, of the Oslabya, committed suicide by his bridge as the ship sank rather than save himself. There were thousands of other heroes whose names the world will never know.

Nanaimo Strike May Be Averted

Delegate From Western Federation Talks Hopefully of Settlement.

Mr. Hawthorthwaite Suggests a Government Investigation of Troubles.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, June 12.—J. H. Hawthorthwaite, M. P., has submitted to Premier McBride a plan or basis of settlement of the local dispute regarding the Coal Mines Regulation Act amendment that he believes cannot fail to prove satisfactory both to the owners and employees of the Western Fuel Company and is urging that immediate action be taken by the provincial government in this matter. The proposition submitted to the government is as follows:

1. That the mines be opened and work be resumed forthwith.
2. That the government appoint a commission of three to enquire into the operation of the act.
3. If the Western Fuel Company can show that the act operates against their company as compared to companies obtaining coal by means of tunnels or drifts, that the government rebate a percentage of royalty not exceeding 20 per cent, to cover loss sustained.

Mr. Hawthorthwaite has also written the secretary of the Western Federation of Miners asking that they delay any contemplated action pending his reply from the government.

Harbinger of Peace.

Daniel Livingstone, delegate from the miners' union to the annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners, recently held in Salt Lake City, returned here yesterday. In the course of an interview this evening, Mr. Livingstone stated that he was empowered by the convention of the Western Federation of Miners to open negotiations with the Western Fuel Co. for a settlement of the present labor troubles. In pursuance of this, he interviewed Mr. Stockert and Manager Graham this afternoon, and was informed by these gentlemen that the company had under consideration a scheme by which the men could be conveyed to Protection shift cheaper and more comfortably than they had at first proposed. After this was completed, negotiations would at once be opened between the Western Federation of Miners and the colliery company, and an endeavor be made to reach a settlement, with Mr. Livingstone thinks.

Can Be Accomplished.

without much difficulty. Asked as to whether he intended to make a settlement with the assistance of the United Mine Workers, Mr. Livingstone said it was intended to ignore them altogether and whatever arrangements were made with the company would be submitted to all underground men, who individually would be allowed a vote on the question of acceptance.

In view of the present state of affairs it is expected that the strike will be amicably settled within a very short time.

Drowned at Departure Bay.

S. Otori, a prominent member of the Japanese commercial community of this province, was drowned at Departure Bay Sunday morning. He was one of the partners in a Japanese fishery there and was helping several other men to move a large house scow which the wind was in danger of dashing on the rocks. Suddenly a splash was heard, and some of the men rushing to the spot where Otori had been standing, found that he had fallen overboard. His head was seen to rise once above the water and then he sank out of sight. The body was recovered this morning.

BRITAIN URGES LENIENCY.

Besides Supporting Roosevelt's Move, Suggests Generous Terms.

Dover, N. H., June 12.—P. Burrows, an Englishman who had come here, is charged, under contract to be assisted, with the superintendence of the new Velvet Coche Manufacturing Company, was arrested here today on a charge of violating the alien contract law. It is said that Burrows came to this country from England by way of steamer to Montreal.

THORPE & CO'S PALE DRY GINGER ALE

FIGHTING IN MANCHURIA.

Japanese Headquarters Report Two Brushes With the Enemy.

Tokio, June 12.—Official announcements made at the headquarters of the imperial army that a detachment of Japanese cavalry succeeded in dispersing Russian cavalry in the vicinity of Hsinyangtsu, six miles south of Liao-yang-ping, Hsinyang, two miles southwest of Hsinyangtsu, was occupied.

Another force defeated the Russians near Shaochengtsu, 18 miles north of Kangping and Kachowapeng, two miles northeast of Shaochengtsu, an eminence was occupied north of Shaochengtsu, two miles east of Kachowapeng, and ten miles west of Liao-yang-ping.

A REPORT DENIED.

No Foreign Power Has Acquired Rights in Danish West Indies.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., June 12.—The governor-general of St. Thomas, Capt. Christian Collid, made the following statement today to the correspondent of the Associated Press: The reports to the effect that a foreign power has acquired rights in St. Thomas or any other place in the Danish West Indies, are void of any truth. The coal wharves and ship repairing workshops here are private business undertakings. War island (where a coal station is said to have been established by the Hamburg-American Steamship Co.) is owned by a private individual. The incorrect reports are presumably due to the attention which various efforts to improve the harbor of St. Thomas have aroused in neighboring islands.

A FIENDISH OUTRAGE.

Deadly Bombs Found at Pittsburg Public School.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 12.—Two bombs were found today on the premises of the Springfield public school of this city by Lewis Butler, the janitor. Both were made of zinc and in the interior was the usual gunpowder, metal tube and powder. They were about two inches in diameter, several inches long and fitted with a brass cap. Both are now in the possession of the police. No reason can be given for the selection of the school as the object of any attempted outrage. There are a number of Russian families in the vicinity of the school, many of whom, it is said, are so far as Russia is concerned, intensely anarchistic. In view of this the police are conducting their investigations amongst the foreigners.

ACCEPT CANNERS' OFFER.

Union Men and Japanese Decide to Take Prices Named.

Vancouver, June 12.—There will be no strike on the Fraser this year. Late Saturday the fishermen's union met and it was decided that if the Japanese accepted the conditions of the canners the white fishermen would do the same. A delegation was appointed to visit the Japanese and ascertain their position. The delegation was notified that the Japanese acceptance had accepted the canners' offer. Thus for the coming season the price of fish will be twelve and a half cents per fish for July, and ten cents afterwards, with a credit of 20 to the boat.

Simultaneously with completion of the Vancouver Power Company's tunnel, the three Lake Power Company declare themselves in the field for cheap lighting. They are making an offer to North Vancouver in competition with the Vancouver Power Company in connection with lighting the city. A local paper says that John Hendry, president of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway, has acquired a controlling interest in the State Lake proposition.

M. WITTE THE MAN.

Russians Look to Celebrated Statesman to Conduct Negotiations.

St. Petersburg, June 12.—(7:30 p. m.)—The warring countries, having both formally agreed to try and conclude peace, the next step, it is explained here, will be the first direct exchange of proposals. It is expected that the initiative will be taken by the Russian side, by indicating, doubtless through an intermediary at Washington, her views as to the time and place of the meeting. Russia will offer no objections to any reasonable suggestion made by the Japanese. It is expected that the Japanese will be going to Berlin to meet Prince Arisugawa, who represents the Japanese Emperor at the wedding of Crown Prince Frederick William, but no confirmation of this can be obtained. In the public mind there is considerable interest in the peace negotiations, but an intimate friend of the Russian statesman, member of the Associated Press that he knows M. Witte has not been approached.

NEW HUNGARIAN PREMIER.

Vienna, June 12.—Gen. Baron Fejervary was received in audience today by Emperor Francis Joseph, and was definitely appointed Hungarian premier in succession to Count Stephen Tisza. He will assume office June 15.

The Day at At Ottawa

British Columbia Fruit Packers Receive High Compliment From Department.

House Provides for a Probable Loss on the Pacific Cable.

Terrific Electrical Storm Causes Considerable Excitement in Senate.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, June 12.—Nine Canadians have been awarded diplomas and medals for services in connection with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

A. M. McNeill, chief of the government fruit division, left for British Columbia today to confer with fruit growers there. He will go first to Vernon, later he will visit the State of Washington. Mr. McNeill is so impressed with the superior methods of packing adopted in British Columbia that possibly the government may invite some of the provincial growers to come East to give pointers to Ontario fruit growers.

In the House today, an animated discussion took place over the action of the militia department in ordering six sergeants of the permanent corps at London, who are Conservatives, to Niagara today. The opposition pounded the government so vigorously that Sir P. Borden said he would endeavor to get the men recalled, but he did not do it just the same. Later a lively debate occurred over the proposed increase of the permanent force. Hon. Mr. Fisher held the wiser policy to pursue was to encourage the active militia.

Loss on Pacific Cable.

In supply the item of \$125,000 for probable losses on the Pacific cable was taken up. Sir Wilfrid said the agreement was that Canada and Great Britain should each pay 5-18 of the cost of maintenance, Australia 6-18 and New Zealand 2-18. The net earnings last year were £78,824, and expenses £107,809, and the deficit was £29,085. A sum of £77,000 was included in expenses to be paid annually for extinguishing the cost of laying the cable.

The worst electric storm in twenty years passed over the capital tonight. The lightning penetrated the electric room on the Senate side and destroyed a transformer. There was considerable excitement for the time being, as the smoke penetrated the entire wing.

LARGE NUGGETS FOUND.

Two-ounce Lump From Quartz Picked Up Near Nelson.

Nelson, June 12.—(Special)—A nugget of gold weighing two ounces was found today upon the Greenhorn property, near here, by the proprietors, E. O. Nelson and J. P. Swelgen. The property is situated between the Poorman and Granite, and the vein is white quartz from two to four feet wide. Other nuggets up to a half ounce in weight were found at the same place. A lot of 175 tons of quartz sent for crushing. The discovery has caused some excitement locally.

INCONSIDERATE UNFORTUNATES.

Pitiable Sight in N. Y. Police Court Through Criminal Thoughtlessness.

New York, June 12.—Forty-two women, most of them carrying children in their arms, were seen today in the police court today, were fined for obstructing the fire escapes in the tenements where they lived. Most of the prisoners could not pay their fines and were locked up, with their children, in Ladies' Prison.

Boxes, barrels and refrigerators were kept on the fire escapes, producing a condition similar to that in Allen street several months ago, when many persons lost their lives because the fire escapes were obstructed.

HUGE TRUST MERGER.

Proposal to Consolidate Three Corporations Connected With Equitable.

New York, June 12.—The organization of the largest trust company in the United States and one of the largest financial institutions of the world, was said today to be a part of the plan of Thos. F. Ryan in negotiating the purchase of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, held by James H. Hyde. Mr. Ryan's plan was reported today to be to consolidate the Equitable Trust, the Mercantile Trust and the Morton Trust companies, all of this city, with the latter in control. It is expected that this would result in the creation of a financial institution with deposits second only to those of the National City Bank of this city, which has deposits of \$185,000,000. The deposits of the proposed consolidated corporation would amount to \$169,000,000, the capital stock to \$7,000,000, and the surplus to \$22,700,000.

Mr. Ryan's plan was reported today to contemplate also the elimination of the control of subsidiary companies by the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

MONTREAL GAS QUESTION.

Toronto World to Be Sued for Libel Against City Council.

Montreal, June 12.—At a meeting of the city council today, a letter was received from the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co., stating that the company could not, in view of the onerous conditions accept the terms laid down by the city council as a condition for the extension of the company's gas franchise for a term of years. The Montreal gas question, in which the accusation was made that there was a French-Canadian Tammany hall in the Montreal city council, an accusation which the aldermen consider warrants an attempt being made to get at those responsible for its publication.

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To get her poor dog a tart;
But when she got there
The cupboard seemed bare,
Which broke poor doggie's heart.

Old Mother Hubbard
Painted her cupboard
With Melrose Snow White Enamel;
Which made it so bright
She cried with delight,
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Or oysters, or hare;
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APPEAL TO GREAT POWERS.

Norway Will Shortly Ask for National Recognition.

Christiania, June 12.—(Special)—Mr. Loveland, former president of the section of Norwegian council of state at Stockholm, who will be inducted into his new office of foreign minister of Norway on June 15, in an interview with the correspondent of the Associated Press said that a special envoy would within a few weeks be despatched to the great powers to seek the recognition of the diplomatic and consular representatives of Norway.

OREGON LAND FRAUDS.

Senator Mitchell's Attorneys Argue Against Indictment.

Portland, June 12.—(Special)—Attorneys for U. S. Senator Mitchell argued his demurrer against the indictment charging complicity with the land frauds in the United States District Judge De Haven here today. He claims the indictment should specify the amounts received for each claim the government alleges he expedited. Senator Mitchell is charged with using his influence with the government officials for a consideration to secure patents to lands which it is alleged should not have been issued. Decision was reserved.

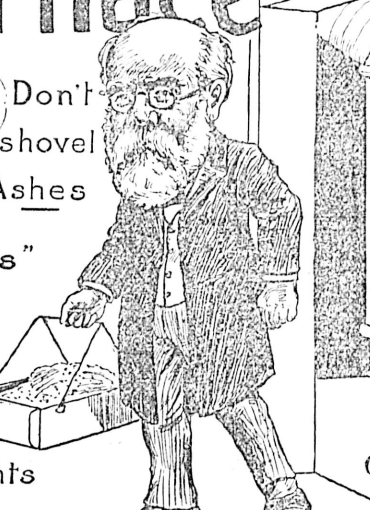
GERMANY IN MOROCCO.

Sultan Already Has Granted Some Additional Privileges.

London, June 12.—A despatch from Fez, Morocco, says: "German friendship for Morocco has already been rewarded by several minor commercial concessions. This is regarded as a precedent liable to create complications if other grants follow, because it would change the status quo and perhaps cause France to abandon her attitude of patience, thereby leading to a crisis."

"The Sultan maintains his absolute independent attitude, while the Moorish officials regard Count von Lattenbach-Ashold, head of the German mission to Morocco, as a guardian angel. The count is credited with having made numerous statements, among them one in which he is alleged to have told the Sultan that Germany was quite prepared to protect him against France. It is stated that the Moorish officials are reconciled to the possibility of the proposed international conference being finally vetoed by France and Great Britain, but that they believe the proposition could be supported by other powers, and it is further stated that the Sultan is prepared to indefinitely resist the proposals of the French government."

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Alaska Judge's Sweeping Decision

Decides That the Claim Owners Must Make Discovery of Gold.

Thousand of Properties Held by Speculators May Be Jumped.

Fairbanks, Alaska, June 12.—(Special)—Judge Wickham, of the United States district court, on Saturday decided that a claim owner must make discovery of gold to hold a claim. Location, he declares, dates from the time discovery is made, and not from the time stakes are placed. Furthermore, stakes are no good unless the good intentions of the miner to make a discovery are shown within a reasonable time.

This decision means that thousands of claims held for speculation can be jumped by anyone who shall make the first discovery. Judge Wickham in his decision says: "The greatest evil in the administration of the mining laws of Alaska is the habit of the shiftheads in staking and recording claims, generally by power of attorney, whereby one person often acquires a claim to a large area of supposed mineral lands, and excludes the willing miner from working it, and developing the resources of the territory."

"Since the threat of a lawsuit lurks behind each of these pretended locations, prospectors generally pass it by, and thus the speculative locator controls the property."

NO QUARANTINE AT NOME.

Service Discontinued at Northern City and Excitement Ensues.

Seattle, June 12.—(Special)—Word has been received here that Secretary Shaw, of the United States treasury department, has abolished the quarantine service at Nome, Alaska.

In view of the fact that the entire northern fleet is due to arrive at Nome within the next few days which will have on board several thousand stowaway passengers, there is considerable excitement in the camp. Under the new order, which is now effective, the city is powerless to inspect vessels or protect against contagion.

Protests have been sent to Seattle against the action of Secretary Shaw, and it is understood that the Nome chamber of commerce and the city council have held special meetings and after discussing what they consider an outrage of the United States act on the part of the government, adopted resolutions asking for relief.

CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff for life long, accompanied by falling hair, too. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair medicine that will do that but Newb's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy nature intended. Destroy the cause, you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send for stamps for sample to Newb's Co., Detroit, Mich. C. H. Bowers & Co., 98 Government Street, Special Agents.

High Tributes to "That Strong Man"

Theodore Roosevelt the Most Popular Man of the Day in Russia.

British Press Unstinted in Its Praise of President's Good Work.

London, June 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: "It is no exaggeration to say that President Roosevelt is the most popular man in Russia today. The President's rare insight, aided by the skill and tact of his ambassador (Mr. Meyer) enabled him to gauge the proper moment at which to offer advice which the initiator of The Hague peace conference could not refuse."

Glowing tributes to President Roosevelt's successful diplomacy again occupy the foremost place in the London morning newspapers. The Morning Post in an editorial characterizes it as both a personal and national triumph and declares that no other man could have ventured to even attempt what President Roosevelt has accomplished. Continuing, the Morning Post says: "No President since Lincoln has impressed himself on the imagination and respect of Europe and Asia. His success implies acknowledgment of the moral power America holds in international politics."

The Daily Chronicle calls it the splendid beginning of the President's determination to pursue a "world policy," while the Daily Telegraph, again insisting on the

Absolute Sincerity of Russia. In the negotiations, says: "The possibility of taking into account the position of President Roosevelt. He is the last man in the world to allow himself to be made a fool of and any affront put upon him by either belligerent would be most wantonly and indignantly resented."

Despatches from Tokyo report that Emperor presided yesterday at an imperial council, which included all the ministers of state and forty high military and naval officials, but in a word, the information is published here except that emanating from Washington. It is understood that the great powers are actively engaged in extending views on the situation, and according to the Berlin correspondent, the Emperor, Emperor William is communicating direct with Emperor Nicholas.

An interesting sidelight on the Far Eastern developments comes from Melbourne, where former Premier Latham has drawn attention to the striking growth of three naval powers, revealed in recent events, namely, the United States, Germany and Japan, and to Australia's comparatively defenceless condition with sixteen foreign naval stations within striking distance of her shores.

Mr. Deakin calls on Australians to make sacrifices and extend the defensive armaments on land and on sea.

LUMBER FOR PANAMA.

Bellingham, Wn., June 12.—Today the E. K. Wood Lumber Co. and Bellingham Bay Improvement Co. bills here began cutting 7,000,000 ft. of lumber for the Panama canal on contract from the United States government.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Needs no introduction to the public. It has been in use for thirty years and has proved itself to be the most successful remedy yet discovered for bowel complaints. This remedy is for sale here by all Druggists.

FIRE AT WALLA WALLA.

Walla Walla, June 12.—Fire which started in East Main street early this morning destroyed the agricultural implement house of John Smith & Co., a large stable of Dr. H. H. Davidson, residence of James McAniff, small dwelling of Harry Kutz of Seattle, the Bellingham building, owned by Jacob Betz of Tacoma. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. Insurance \$15,000.

REVENUE OFFICER DROWNED.

Navigating Officer of Cutter Rush Loses His Life in "Frisco Harbor."

Second Lieut. William G. Blaisdell, navigating officer of the U. S. revenue cutter Rush, who is well known in this city, was drowned in San Francisco bay. The Rush reached San Francisco from Portland a week ago, casting anchor off Sausalito about 8 o'clock Monday evening. Shortly before midnight Lieut. Blaisdell bade his brother officers good night, and went on deck clad in his shirt and trousers. Since that time nothing has been heard from him. He was not missed until 2 o'clock. A search for the ship was made, but without avail. Neither the boatswain nor the ship's watch saw the officer, and it is considered certain that he met his death in the waters of the bay.

VISITING RAILWAY MEN.

Cal E. Stone of G. N. Talks of Canadian Alien Labor Law.

Cal E. Stone, the new general passenger agent of the Great Northern Railway, was a visitor to Victoria yesterday. He will leave today en route to Portland to visit the fair before returning to St. Paul. In discussing the possibility of an enforcement of the Canadian alien labor law and the threatened deportation of United States citizens representing railways in Canada, a theme suggested by the Minister of the Interior, Mr. Marquette, he said he did not consider that the test cases at Pere Marquette would result in any general movement. He said:

"The Canadian representatives of a road north of our international boundary was arrested at Buffalo several years ago and threatened with deportation under the United States contract labor law as applied to aliens."

"The case was tried and the courts sustained the contention that the contract did not apply to employees of corporations sent to this side to represent their companies, but to foreigners who were brought over to work on railroad construction and in mines in opposition to the immigration laws of the country. A literal interpretation of the statutes of either the United States or Canada might mean deportations from both sides, but the higher courts would consider the intentions of the law and construe them accordingly. Consequently any attempted enforcement of them would mean only a temporary process of deportation."

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Gossip of the Two Services

A New Eighteen Pounder Field Gun for the Canadian Artillery.

Colonial Soldiers' Memorial Unveiled on Empire Day by Prince of Wales.

From Our Own Correspondent.

London, May 27.—According to a parliamentary return just issued, H. M. S. Flora made the best shooting on the Pacific station last year, her score being 53.89. The Ariadne, flagship of the North America station, made the best practice of the squadron, her figure of merit being 52.01.

The shallow draught river steamer Sandpiper, Lieut. H. T. Atlay, which for the past six years has done duty in the Chinese rivers, is to be re-commissioned for another similar term of service—this time for two years. The Sandpiper was sent out from England at the latter end of 1899, and commissioned at Hongkong the following January. A new crew will be sent out from England shortly. These river steamers are very useful in Eastern waters, their light draught enabling them to go almost anywhere. It is only 20 inches. The armament includes a couple of 6-pound and four Maxim's. It is suggested that a couple of these boats should be sent to the Pacific station.

The New Field Gun.

The 18-pounder quick-firing gun with which the Canadian field artillery is to be re-armed is the same as the one with which the Royal field artillery is being re-armed at home and abroad. It is the direct outcome of Buller's campaign in the Transvaal, when our guns were outtraged by the Boer guns. The most prominent features of the 18-pounder are the quick-firing arrangement and the absence of recoil. In the chamber and when the gun is not attached to the carriage, but is suspended from the "buffer chamber" by caliper grips, which permit it to travel back and forward about four feet. The recoil is taken up by powerful steel springs in the chamber and when the gun is expended they run it forward again into the firing position. The forward thrust is eased off by hydraulic cushions. All this has to do is to keep the sights on the object to be fired at, as there is absolutely no motion in the carriage, nor is the "kick" disturbed in any way. The immense advantage of this is at once apparent, as under the old conditions the gun had to be reloaded in the chamber and traversed as well. The gun and its carriage weigh nearly 21 cwt., and the wagon and limber weigh nearly the same. The gun throws an 18-lb. projectile up to 10,000 yards and it carries the limber and wagon 100 or more miles. The shell leaves the gun with an initial velocity of 1610 feet per second. Each battery of six 18-pounders is manned by five officers and 200 non-commissioned officers and men.

The Colonial Soldiers' Memorial.

Empire Day here was marked by the unveiling of the memorial to the memory of the gallant colonial soldiers who laid down their lives in the South African war. The memorial, which was designed by the Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, is a bronze sculpture of noble proportions, standing in the western side of the southern transept of St. Paul's. It shows the Angel of the Passion with outstretched wings uplifting the cross from the Crucified Christ. At his base is the inscription: "Australia, Canada, Ceylon, New Zealand, South Africa. To the Glory of God, and to the undying honor of those 4200 sons of Britain beyond the seas who gave their lives for the Motherland in the South African War 1899-1902." The band of the Grenadier Guards was present and whilst the congregation was assembling played a programme of appropriate music. Amongst the distinguished visitors were the Prime Minister, the Colonial Secretary and Mrs. Lyttelton, the Secretary of State for War and Mrs. Arnold-Foster, the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, Earl and Countess Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, Lord and Lady Strathcona, Gen. Sir Neville and the Hon. Lady Hutton, Gen. Baden-Powell, Gen. Lord Methuen, Col. Sir Edward Ward, Lord Chesham, the Earl and Countess of Minto, the Earl and Countess of Munster, Gen. O'Hanlon, Gen. Sir Edward Hutton, Gen. MacKinnon, and the agents-general of most of the colonies. The Prince of Wales, who was wearing the uniform of a colonel of the King's Own Scottish Borderers, arrived at the memorial at noon. "Yea, though I walk through the Valley" was sung by the choir. Immediately on the close of the anthem, the Dean and Chapter moved off in procession to the memorial. As the band of the Grenadier Guards, the guard of honor from the King's Colonials presented arms. The memorial was draped with a large Union Jack, which was held in position by two Union Jacks. Looking from the hands of Princess Louise a silk cord, His Royal Highness drew aside the flag, disclosing the memorial. His Royal Highness said: "To the glory of God and in honored memory of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the colonial troops who fell in the South African War I unveil this memorial and commit it to the care of the Dean and Chapter."

of this cathedral for ever." The National Anthem was then played, and immediately afterwards the cathedral ran to the notes of the "Last Post," blown by the buglers of the Coldstream Guards. Dean Gregor pronounced two dedicatory prayers, at the close of which the buglers sounded the "Reveille." The procession then returned to the Chancel, the King's Colonials again presenting arms to the Prince as he passed between the ranks.

OBITUARY.

Once again has the hand of Death been laid on the ranks of fast-fading old-timers—David Whitrow, passed away at the Jubilee hospital last evening after a protracted illness. As he has been in very poor health for several years past, and latterly entirely incapacitated from work, his death was not unexpected, though it will be keenly regretted by a large circle of friends. Deceased was 78 years of age and a native of St. John's, N. B. He had been a constant resident of the city since the "early days" and was one of the best-known of the pioneers of the province. He took part in the stirring episodes incidental to the mad rush to Carleton in search of gold in 1852. Two daughters—Mrs. W. H. Ellis of this city and Mrs. A. Stuart Potts, of Winnipeg—are left to mourn his loss. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

PERSONALS.

Mr. James A. Grahame is seriously ill at his residence on Hillside avenue. Mrs. A. Ferguson and Miss A. Lennox returned to Vancouver on Sunday, after spending a few days most pleasantly in the city.

Mrs. W. H. Harris and Master Harris left by the Princess Victoria Thursday evening for a short visit with Seattle friends.

The pupils of Miss Walker are to give a piano recital on Saturday afternoon next at 3.30, at Walter's hall. Verbal invitations are cordially extended to the pupils' friends and those of Miss Walker.

Mrs. Andrews and her new pupils of her Sunday school class at a picnic at the George Saturday, upwards of twenty happy young people attending.

It is up to you, young man, when buying life insurance to get the best value possible for your money. Do you know that the extended insurance feature alone of the Standard Life new policy puts it in a class by itself? For example, at age 25, after paying five premiums on a 20 pay life contract, the policy will carry itself for 10 years and 9 months longer, or after payment of 10 premiums, for 22 years and 10 months longer. It will pay you to see us before putting on that insurance. Holstern & Co., General Agents.

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BORN.

BROWN—At 8 a. m., on the 11th inst., at their residence, Esplanade road, the wife of Mr. Fred. Brown, of a daughter.

Knights of Pythias DECORATION DAY.

All members of the order are requested to meet at Castle Hall, at 1.30 p. m., Sunday, June 18, for the purpose of decorating the monument to the fallen soldiers. The meeting will start at 2 p. m., sharp, headed by the 11th Regiment band. Visiting brethren invited to attend.

Friends may leave flowers at Castle Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets, Dr. Humber's office, 43 Government street, and at any clothing store, 117 Government street.

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THE PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

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The fifteenth annual meeting of the donors and subscribers to the institution will be held in the City Hall on Thursday, the 2nd of June, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Business: Receiving the annual report of the directors, the treasurer's statement for the year ending 31st May, 1905, and the election of directors.

The four following directors retire, but are eligible for re-election: R. D. Helme, Edward Musgrave, F. D. Pemberton and Alexander Wilson.

Donors and subscribers can vote for four members only. The City Council nominate five, the Government three (3), and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen (15) directors. All donors of money, and annual subscribers of \$5 and upwards are eligible to vote for the election of directors.

F. BLWORTHY, Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., 13th June, 1905.

NOW UNDER U. S. CONTROL.

Canadian Jurisdiction Passes From S. A. in Several Western States.

Beginning July 1, all the Salvation Army corps in the cities of Washington, Idaho, Montana and other western states which have heretofore been under the jurisdiction of the Canadian branch of the Salvation Army, will be placed under the control of the United States branch, with headquarters at Chicago. The Pacific Coast headquarters for these districts will be placed at San Francisco, with Capt. French in charge. Among the changes resulting from the alteration in jurisdiction will be the circulation of the United States edition of the War Cry instead of the Toronto edition, and many changes of officers will take place. Capt. Johnstone, leader of the Bellingham corps, is to be transferred to Victoria. He will come to his new post about the beginning of August.

VICE PRESIDENT LADIES AID SOCIETY ADVOCATES PE-RU-NA TO SUFFERING WOMEN.

Mrs. Mann, of Toronto, Finds Blessed Relief After Long Suffering With Back-ache and Pains.

MRS. KATE MANN, 806 Bathurst street, Toronto, Can., Vice President of the Ladies Aid Society, writes: "I am pleased to give praise to Peruna for the blessed relief I found through its use."

"I suffered for years with backache and dragging down pains and often had to go to bed and stay there when I was so busy that I could ill be spared."

"It was therefore a simple godsend to me when Peruna was brought to my notice."

"Every drop seemed to give new life, and every dose made me feel much better, and I promised myself that if I found that it cured me I would advocate it so that other suffering women should know of it."

"I have been in perfect health for one year. I enjoy work and pleasure because I am in perfect health and no trouble seems too heavy to bear when you are in good health."

"Peruna has simply been a household blessing and I never will be without it again."

Pelvic catarrh is a term that was unknown to the medical profession twenty years ago.

The various ailments of the pelvic organs were called female disease and were generally treated locally.

Twenty years ago Dr. Hartman made the important discovery that these ailments were of a catarrhal nature. In short, they were simply catarrh of the pelvic organs.

These organs, like all other organs of the body, are lined with mucous membrane. This membrane is subject to en-

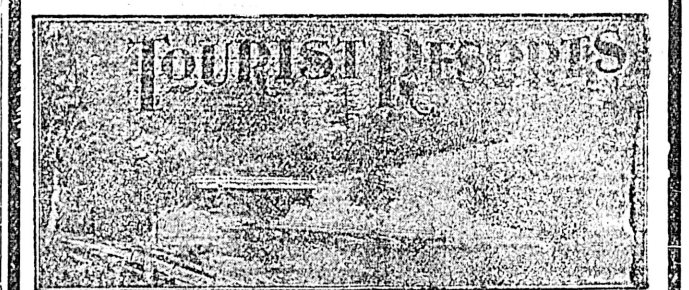


MRS. KATE MANN.

tarrh the same as the mucous membrane of the nose or throat.

Catarrhal diseases of the pelvic organs give rise to a great variety of symptoms, but the nature of the disease always remains the same.

Catarrh of these organs produces backache, dragging down pains, headache, weakness, and a general disturbance of the whole nervous system. Peruna is the remedy for these cases. Peruna cures catarrh, wherever located in the body.



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120 Pairs Ladies' Vic K'd Oxfords, Hand Turn Soles, Patent Tip, Regular Price \$2.00, Tuesday's Price \$1.40

60 Pairs Men's Box Calf Laced Boots, Goodyear Welts, Slip Soles, Regular Price \$4.00, Tuesday's Price \$3.20

Paterson Shoe Co's. Stores

Annual Camp of Fifth Regiment

Miltamen Under Canvas at Macaulay Point—Parade a Record One.

Band Concert to Be Held at the Camp Tomorrow Evening by Regimental Band.

The Fifth Regiment of Canadian Artillery is now encamped at Macaulay Point, and daily the fortress companies are hard at work training on the six-inch guns at Fort Macaulay, while the field gun companies are at drill with their thirteen pounders.

The regiment paraded, 234 strong, on Sunday morning and marched into camp, headed by the band, assisted by the bugle band. Tents were more than pitched, blankets distributed, and lunch served, after which the miltamen were given their freedom for the afternoon. The parade was the best that has been recorded in any of the camps. No. 1 Company was but one man short of its total strength. The commanding officer, Lt. Col. Hall, complimented the men on the excellent attendance when the regiment was drawn up before him on arrival, and he told of the good arrangements that had been made for the camp, and that the men were being on the same basis as the men of the garrison while in camp.

The commanding officer also outlined the routine for drill while in camp, stating that No. 3 and 4 companies would go into the fort on Monday, No. 5 and 6 on Friday to practice with the six-inch guns, and Nos. 5 and 6 companies would drill on the big guns in the fort on Tuesday and Thursday. The companies will alternate next week. Nos. 1 and 2 companies will engage in infantry drill and field gun practice.

The tent pitching competition, Sgt. Harrop and five men of his company won the five dollars offered.

The lessons of the day were continued until noon, when the bugle called the regiment to order so that lots could be drawn for lunch. Oh that lunch! It was a failure. The entire who had been contracted with to supply meals for the miltamen was most disappointing, for his lunch was a complete failure; likewise his supper. The companies will alternate next week. Nos. 1 and 2 companies will engage in infantry drill and field gun practice.

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What it needs is the strengthening influence of Dr. Hamilton's Pills—they work where the stomach and digestion are poor. In one day the appetite increases and the whole system is rapidly strengthened. No stomach specialist could write a more reliable recommendation than Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. All dealers in a yellow box, price 25c., or five boxes for one dollar.

Local News.

Arion Club—An important meeting of the Arion Club is to be held tomorrow evening at Walt's hall, when some very special business will be considered. It is requested that all the members make it a point to attend.

Under New Regime—The first new arrival in the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, under the new regime came to the residence of Mr. Fred Brown, head agent of the line, on Esquimalt road, on Sunday morning, when a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown.

Indians and Hootch—Provincial Constable Dan Campbell last night arrested two Spanish Indians and a Kootenai who were in possession of intoxicants in contravention of the terms of the Indian act, and shortly afterwards arrested a Kootenai who was in possession of intoxicants in contravention of the terms of the Indian act, and shortly afterwards arrested a Kootenai who was in possession of intoxicants in contravention of the terms of the Indian act.

Arranging Picnic—A well-attended meeting of the St. Andrew's Society was held in Sir William Wallace hall yesterday evening, when consideration was given to the question of arranging for the annual picnic and the construction of a new hall. The picnic is to be held at Goldstream and the question of arranging for a bowling green was laid over until a future meeting.

Y. M. C. A. Garden Party—The "stars" will sing together and all creation will combine to enter to the enjoyment of those who attend the Y. M. C. A. garden party on Wednesday in the grounds of 35 Fernwood road, the home of Mrs. Rogers. Among the stars will be the Misses Sowercroft, Reidford, Dier, Mrs. Standand, and Messrs. Griffiths and Kinnaird. There will be delicious refreshments of all kinds and everything that can make glad the heart of man.

BRITISH ENTERPRISE IN THE CAUCASUS.

Russian Misrepresentation.

According to a long telegram from St. Petersburg, to the London Times the Novoe Vremya has started a crusade against British enterprise in the Caucasus, a region which Russians have, on account of the misgovernment of that part of the Empire, shown a tendency to avoid. The managers and staffs of the English companies which are helping to develop this region for Russia's ultimate benefit are invested by the Novoe Vremya with the character of an ever-increasing network of spies acting on the orders of no less a person than Mr. Chamberlain, and provided with special telegraphic facilities for the transmission of information to England and India. Taking into account the disturbed condition of the country, the publication of such an article is described by the correspondent as tantamount to a deliberate incitement to murder. Fortunately the Novoe Vremya, like its contemporary, the Moscow Gazette, which published the legend about the Japanese millions sent after the Russo-Japanese war, has not lapsed into the Russian newspaper to such an extent that they are unlikely to reproduce the slander about the English in the Caucasus except with the object of pillorying its author. The Russian Slovo recently remarked that no libel was too ignominious or too inept for the Novoe Vremya to hurl against England, and this remark fully covers the present outburst. Half a dozen companies, run with British capital, were authorized by the Russian government six years ago to work oil wells in the Baku region. These numbers have not increased since. The output of these companies does not exceed one-fifth of the total output at Baku. A portion of the staffs and all the hands are natives. The companies are not allowed to extend their holdings without special permission, nor to own a single steamer on the Caspian. The allegation about Mr. Chamberlain reduces itself to the existence of a manager named "Chambers," the British are not increasing; and as for the "special telegraphic facilities," this can only refer to the Indo-European Telegraph Company, which was established a score of years before the advent of the English capitalists in the Caucasus, and handles only messages received at the Russian telegraph offices.


In its issue of May 21 the Novoe Vremya declares that England is responsible for the Armen revolt, that there were no uprisings in Armenia before the advent of the British in Egypt, and it concludes by intimating that British will be defeated by Germany, the defender of the integrity of the Ottoman Empire.

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An Evening of Routine Work

Variety of General Business Engages Attention of City Council.

Spring Ridge Sewerage Plan Depends Upon Expropriation of Property.

Little beyond routine business was transacted at yesterday evening's meeting of the City Council. At the private conference, previous to the opening of the session, however, City Assessor Northcott reported in respect to the suggested expropriation plan to enable the city to proceed with the work of the Spring Ridge sewerage system, it appears that the hope has been abandoned of getting the property owners to consent to the arrangement as at first proposed, and the only alternative which the council now has is to expropriate sufficient property to give the city a right of way. Mr. Northcott estimates that a sum of over four thousand dollars will be required if it is decided to proceed on this latter basis. The question will be finally decided at a meeting of the council to be held on Thursday evening of this week.

Ald. Douglas, before the opening of the regular business, moved, seconded by Ald. Fullerton, the following resolution, which carried unanimously: "That a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to the Vancouver Power Co. for their hospitable treatment extended to the mayor and corporation of the city of Victoria on the 10th instant on the occasion of the formal opening of the Cogitum tunnel, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the said company."

The Victoria Property Owners' Association wrote as follows:

Gentlemen: At a meeting of the board of management of this association, held on the 2nd instant, it was resolved that this association urge upon the council the great necessity for maintaining as far as possible all the natural beauties of this city, not only for the enjoyment of its citizens, but as a means of attraction to visitors and tourists, by whose presence money is circulated in our midst and the general welfare of the community benefited.

With this object in view, the board would respectfully suggest the appointment (under subsections 119 and 120 of section 10, Municipal Clauses Act) of three specially qualified honorary commissioners (one to be suggested by the Horticultural Society and one by the Natural History Society), who should hold office continuously as in the case of the hospital board, or sanitary commissioners, etc., and whose duties should be to conserve the natural beauties of the city and park, and without whose sanction no trees on the public property or adjacent thereto should be destroyed or damaged, or any of the natural beauties and attractions defaced or destroyed.

The board feel that such ruthless destruction of trees as has taken place in the past, and which is continuing along our residential streets, is a serious menace to the natural beauty of the city, and that the council should check and place under competent control.

The board feel that were the park placed under the direction of commissioners, as suggested, plan and design improvements could be adopted and followed up from year to year. Under the present system, no standing plan of improvement can be followed, as the governing body of the park is altered each year. Vancouver park has been managed in this way, and there is no reason to believe that it has improved and conserved under competent authority in a continuous way, even though the amount to be expended yearly were small.

By reference to the Municipal Act of Ontario (section 574, copy of which is enclosed), it will be seen that the beautifying of public places, squares and streets in cities is encouraged by allowance or compensation, and that those attractions that do exist should be protected, and the board of this association would therefore suggest that such commissioners as they propose should be clothed with similar powers to those provided in the Ontario Municipal Act referred to.

Ald. Hanna moved that it be received and filed and the writer informed that the council approves of the suggestion for the preservation of trees. This was carried.

Ald. Fell asked if any authority had been given for the painting of rocks on Dallas road foreshore. He noticed that on one of the rocks an advertisement appeared in large letters. The mayor informed him that that particular rock had been so painted for years.

Ald. Fell said that in any event the obnoxious signs should be removed, and in this the other aldermen agreed. Messrs. Hooper & Watkins forwarded elevations and sketch plans for the proposed Old Men's Home, explaining certain changes in the interior arrangements.

Referred to the board of works.

Beaumont Boggs drew attention to unsanitary condition of the shore at Victoria Arm, box drains emptying into that waterway and causing a distinct nuisance. Referred to the sanitary officer for report.

Regarding Rock Bay bridge and Mr. Ordano's property, Crease & Crease called attention to the footway and asked that it be removed from its present position.

The necessary assurance will be given that this will be done.

Charles W. Hills, re Heywood avenue sidewalk, expressed regret that the council was not going on with the work this year, owing to the intervention of a technicality. The majority of the owners along the thoroughfare were desirous of having the improvement undertaken. A similar difficulty had in other cities been overcome by a special act, and he hoped that the council consider this means of settling the difficulty. Referred to the board of works.

The city assessor forwarded a report on various content sidewalk assessments. No petition against it had been received.

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S. M. Lee complaining of a nuisance on Collinson street. Referred to sanitary officer.

Ian St. Clair asked that the boat landing at the foot of Pleasant street be repaired. Referred to city engineer for report.

Tenders for supplying rubber hose were received from the Gutta Percha Manufacturing Co., of Toronto, and the Canadian Rubber Co.

Referred to fire wardens and purchasing agent.

The various hackmen petitioned that a section of Belleville street be set apart as a stand to be used during the arrival of steamers. Referred to the board of works.

Residents of Snowden street complained of the condition of that thoroughfare. Referred to the city engineer for report.

The board of works recommended that work proceed on the coffer dam required in connection with the proposed bathing establishment on Douglas road; that the council cannot see its way to reducing sewer rental tax of the Albion Iron Works; that the tramway company be given permission to proceed with their plan of laying a double track from Johnson to Pandora street on Government, and that the city engineer report in connection with the removing or trimming of the broom on Pauls road.

The finance committee recommended the payment of accounts amounting to \$10,205.58.

The following were appointed to act on the board of recreation, which sits tomorrow: Aldermen Goodacre, Hall, Oddy, Hanna and the mayor.

The bylaw to amend the city pound bylaw was put through its initial stages.

Before adjournment Ald. Oddy asked that a committee be appointed to regulate the cutting down of the trees at the old cemetery. The contractors were continually being interfered with.

Ald. Hanna said Mr. Northcott was looking after the matter.

Ald. Fell explained that all the hubbub over the cutting down of the trees was unnecessary. Only the poplar trees were ordered cut down, and it was never intended to cut down anything else. When all the work is finished it will surprise most people to find that over one hundred would be left standing.

It was finally decided to instruct Mr. Northcott to see that the contract, as stipulated, is carried out.

The council then adjourned to meet on Thursday evening next.

Clark's Delicious Pork and Beans.

Always ready, always tasty, always appreciated. The best food for those who do things—5c and 10c tins.

The number of novels and volumes of short stories published in America during 1904 was 1,097, an increase of nearly 200 over the previous year. This does not include the new editions of books previously published.

Diocesan Meeting At Metlakatla

Conference of Bishops of California Recently Held at Northcote Village.

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AUTONOMY BILLS THE ISSUE.

Whatever the result may be in London or North Oxford, there can be no doubt that the educational clauses of the autonomy bills constitute the issue. Practically nothing else has been talked of during the campaign, except the importance to London of electing a Cabinet Minister to represent it.

Among the principal speakers on the issue have been R. L. Borden, the leader of the Opposition, and Mr. R. B. Bennett, of Calgary, one reflecting the general policy of the Liberal-Conservative party, as voiced by Mr. Borden, and the other the sentiment of the West. From what we can gather from the reports of the meetings as published in the eastern papers, the campaign has been an exceedingly lively affair, and "decidedly" unpleasant for the Liberal candidates and speakers, who have been "heckled" unmercifully by Liberal supporters.

Of course, in considering the results, it must be borne in mind that in London the arguments against the Government position on the school question are twofold. There is a considerable Roman Catholic population in the city, and in all probability every vote made against the autonomy bills on the one side will represent, up, at least, to a certain limit, a vote gained for them. As to how the Catholics in London voted at the last general election, we have no means of knowing. And, again, in North Oxford, the majority which the Hon. James Sutherland had was so large, that it almost precludes the hope of a change around so great as to defeat the Liberal candidate. If elected, however, it is almost certain that it will be with a tremendously reduced majority.

Mr. Borden's position on the issue is very clear and satisfactory. It is a position which every Catholic in the country could conscientiously support.

The present issue, he said, was not a question as to whether there should or should not be separate schools. It was a question whether the new provinces of the West should have those rights in respect to all local matters enjoyed by the Maritime Provinces and British Columbia. If anyone proposed to insert in the constitution of the new provinces a clause forbidding the people to establish separate schools, he would oppose that as vigorously as he was opposing the present proposal of the Government.

Mr. Borden held that the Provincial Legislatures themselves should have the absolute authority over their own affairs. This was the basis of Confederation, and any man who proposed to alter the basis of Confederation was taking a step which in the end might go towards breaking up Confederation. While it was safest and right for all to abide by the Constitution which their forefathers framed, it certainly was absolutely the safest course for minorities in Canada to insist on adherence to the Constitution, for their rights would always be safeguarded under it.

The proposal of the Conservative party in regard to the autonomy bill was simple and just. They simply want applied to the new western provinces the provisions of the British North America Act.

On the other hand, the Laurier Government proposed to insert into the constitution of the new provinces the words of a statute passed in 1875, when the Northwest was under a temporary form of government, and had only a population of 500 and no representatives in the House of Commons, but was governed by a council appointed by the Ottawa Government. There was no constitutional obligation to impose limitations on the new provinces. This temporarily passed statute was to be inserted in their constitution for all time. The proposal was manifestly unfair.

Mr. Borden made it clear what the Colonist has been arguing, and what has been emphatically called attention to by Mr. R. T. Elliott and also by Mr. Haultain that there were ulterior objects in view, which did not appear on the surface.

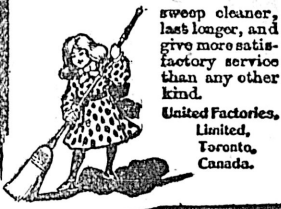
The Liberals had argued that the Northwest Territories had a splendid system of schools, and the Government simply proposed to continue that system. It was true that the system was all right, but the Government's proposals did not mean that it would be continued. They gave the people, under the autonomy bill, the right to change their school system at any time, but only under the restrictions passed in 1875, which would continue to prevail.

The leader of the Opposition deals with Mr. Sifton's position on the question, in which it is shown that either that gentleman is being deceived, which is not very likely, or that he has combined with the Government in an effort to delude the public. Mr. Sifton gaged at the original educational clauses of the autonomy bill; he later found his breath and freely supported the modified clauses, which Mr. Fitzpatrick had taken the

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trouble to explain. No opportunity had so far been afforded to discuss the changes that had been made since the explanation in question. This Mr. Borden, however, did publicly at London.

There was an important feature of the original section of clause 16 which should be explained. One had only to read the clause to find out that it contained, by reference and by direct enactment of the educational provisions of the Dominion statute, the Northwest Territories Act of 1875. That declared that separate schools should be continued in the new province exactly as they had been in the law framed for the temporary form of government in the Territories. But the Territories did not make that law. The thing the Government proposed to continue was not the school system which the Territories worked on under the Act of 1875, but it was the limitation imposed by Parliament upon the Territories when they had no Government of their own. All this was imposed by the original section 16, and also by the amended section. No change had been made. The amended clause 16 provided that nothing in the autonomy bill should prejudicially affect any privilege in respect to education which any class of persons had under chapters 29 and 30 of the Northwest ordinances of 1901. By that it was clear that any privileges enjoyed under these chapters should be continued, because when the Dominion had once dealt with it the Act could not be repealed except by the Imperial Parliament. In chapters 29 and 30 the words of the Act of 1875 were found, ipseissima verba.

When the amended section 16, which Mr. Sifton said suited him, was looked at, it was plain that it, like the original section, imposed forever upon the people the Act of 1875. Section 16 also declared that in the appropriation of public moneys there should be no discrimination against any class of schools described in ordinances 29 and 30 of 1901. The class of schools described in those ordinances were public and separate schools, so that the amended clause declared there shall be no discrimination against separate schools. Both the original and the amended clauses therefore were the same. In other words, the original section and the amended section proceeded by different routes, but arrived at precisely the same goal. Yet Mr. Sifton reflected upon his colleagues by referring to his own independent action and professed to thoroughly understand the effect of both sections.

The Liberals, Mr. Borden said, had adopted a Janus-faced attitude. To the Catholics of Quebec they said the West would receive separate schools. To the Protestants of Ontario they said that separate schools would die out in the West, and that the so-called separate schools were really not separate schools at all. In the present campaign the watchword of the Conservatives was "Hands off provincial rights, respect the rights of the people, and do not impose upon them unwarrantable fetters, and preserve the constitution of Canada."

AN IMPORTANT FUNCTION.

The function at Vancouver on Saturday was a very important one. The formal opening of the tunnel by His Honor represented the completion of a work of magnitude. It is a work which reflects great credit upon the enterprise of the management of the B. C. Electric Railway Co. and Vancouver Power Co., by which it was undertaken. The tunnel connects the waters of Lake Cowichan and Lake Beautiful, and is 12,275 feet long. It is intended to supply power for the operation of the Companies' systems and for industrial use in Vancouver and vicinity. It is unnecessary to go into details of the big work. They have been published fully in the local press. To Mr. Buntzen, the general manager of the two companies associated in the enterprise, is due the credit of conceiving and carrying it out, and he well deserves the commendation which was showered on him on Saturday by the speakers of the occasion. The company he represents has, under his management, made a complete success of its undertakings and has earned dividends upon its investments. He has pursued a wise financial policy and has gained the goodwill of the community in it all, which is the best testimonial to his achievements. His friends regret that his residence henceforth will be in London, England, as Managing Director, but his interest in and control of the large undertakings will continue, and with, we trust, increased benefit to this part of the Province as well as to the shareholders of the Company.

MR. MCINNIS' RESIGNATION.

Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, the new commissioner of the Yukon Territory, has not yet resigned his seat in the Local Legislature, and it is suggested that he may continue to act for a time at least in both capacities. We do not believe, however, that he is responsible for the suggestion. We cannot imagine a man of his knowledge and appreciation of the proprieties of political life seeking to fill such a dual position, or consenting so to do at the request of political friends for the political advantage of his party. For all practical purposes he goes to the Yukon in the capacity of a Lieutenant-Governor. Fancy, if you can, a member of our Legislative Assembly, who might be appointed to one of the new provinces of the Northwest, still retaining his seat and drawing double pay. There is nothing in the Constitution Act to prevent it, and if the Dominion Government permitted it, it would be quite possible. Of course, the Legislative Assembly has the

remedy in its own hand. It could amend the Act upon the first day or two of the session according to the special circumstances of the case. This is what would probably be done. But, as a matter of fact, what would be ethically improper for a year, or the lifetime of a Parliament, would be improper for a month. The resignation of the member for Alberni should be placed in the hands of the Speaker with as little delay as possible. It would not be seemly that Mr. McInnes should use his present position as a representative of the Legislative Assembly for political purposes in any degree, and we cannot believe that he has any such intention. He is still a young man, with possibilities of a bright political career before him, after his term as Commissioner of the Yukon will have expired, to prejudice his future by taking a technical advantage of the law as it is at present.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for views expressed by correspondents.]

THE WEALTH AND DEBT OF NATIONS.

Sir—In the supplement of Sunday's Colonist appears an item headed as above, where figures are set forth showing the estimated wealth and debt of various nations. There is no statement made as to who is responsible for the compilation, and under the circumstances I claim the figures—such as they are—are quite misleading. I beg to offer the following table of figures, compiled by Mr. Arthur Harris, in his "The Wealth of Nations," which appeared in a recent number of "Work and Play" and is quoted as an authority by the British Review of Reviews for May. By comparing these figures with those appearing in The Colonist—after turning the dollars into pounds or vice versa—it will readily be seen how misleading the latter article is.

Comparative National Finances.	
Annual Expenditure.	
Russia	2,291,000,000
United Kingdom	179,750,000
France	142,000,000
United States	125,500,000
Germany	115,132,000
Austria-Hungary	111,203,000
Italy	69,801,000
Public Debt.	
France	1,172,200,000
Russia	656,574,000
Great Britain	638,319,000
Austria-Hungary	590,944,000
Italy	510,504,000
Spain	387,000,000
Argentina	183,575,000
Portugal	172,000,000
Turkey	170,000,000
German Empire	143,709,000
Proportion of Debt to Capital.	
Spain and Portugal	29
Russia	27
Austria-Hungary	27
France	12.8
Holland and Belgium	6
German Empire	6
United States	24
United Kingdom	24
Norway and Sweden	2

THE CASE OF MR. LUMLEY.
Sir—As a magistrate in the Islands district, it is my duty to call your attention to a gross injustice, and to ask you to believe you have allowed to be committed, not wilfully, but by an oversight, but, sir, you are, as I believe, innocent, your report should be promptly discharged from a place for which it is manifestly unfit.

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KINGSTON ST.—Seven roomed house; large lot; modern conveniences; stable—\$2,200.

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OAK BAY DISTRICT—1,250—5 roomed cottage, bath room, pantry, hot and cold water, electric light, outhouses.

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WANTED—Man to look after cow, horse and garden, and make himself generally useful. Apply Box 450 Colanist.

MEN WANTED—Reliable men in every locality throughout Canada to advertise our goods, tack up showcards on trees, fences, along roads and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertisements. Salary \$300 per year, or \$15 per month and expenses \$250 per day. Steady employment to good, reliable men. Experience necessary. Write for particulars. Empire Medicine Co., London, Ont.

WANTED—Representative for British Columbia Hotel. Box 483 this office.

WANTED—A good Gordon press feeder at the Colanist job room.

WANTED—AGENTS.

A LOCAL AGENT can secure exclusive control to outfit of San Francisco factory. No stock. 915 Main street, San Francisco.

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JOLLY WIDOWER, age 65, no children, no relatives, wealthy, healthy and liberal, wants a good companionable wife. Address Box 474 this office.

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MOTOR BICYCLE FOR HIRE at Thos. Pimley's, opposite post office. Easily operated. Terms, first hour \$1, then reduced.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I, James Phair, of Goldstream, B. C., intend at the next regular meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the District of Esquimalt, to apply for a transfer of license to sell Wines and Liquors by retail to my self.

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